CardioPulomonary Resuscitation (CPR) Certification

Students must be certified in CPR at the required level in order to participate in clinical activities.

Procedure

- Students must obtain and maintain current CPR certification.
- This certification must be at American Heart Association "BLS Provider" level which is designed for healthcare professionals and other personnel who need to know how to perform CPR and other basic cardiovascular life support skills in a wide variety of in-facility and prehospital settings.
- Students are responsible for providing documentation of their current CPR certification when requested and for uploading to the current tracking system (for example, CastleBranch).
- Students will not be permitted to participate in clinical experiences without this certification.
- Students who do not submit current certification by the due date will be administratively un-enrolled from a clinical course and the co-requisite course (per the “Clinical Clearances” policy).
- Students are responsible for any costs incurred to obtain certification.
- Any falsification of submitted documentation will not be tolerated and is grounds for disciplinary action by the department of nursing.